

## Registration Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(As you want it to appear on the certificate)

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$200 MECCA Certificate Conference

(Conference includes breakfast & lunch)

\_\_\_\_\_ \$10 to earn Social Work Continuing  
Education contact hours.

\_\_\_\_\_ \$10 to earn Nursing Continuing  
Education contact hours.

\_\_\_\_\_ Total

Make checks payable to:

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207 Student Services Bldg.  
East Lansing, MI 48824  
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Nonrefundable after Thurs. May 12, 2011

Inquires: John Lee, MECCA Coordinator.

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Continuing Education Contact Hour Statement Michigan State University College of Nursing. Participants who attend the entire conference and complete an evaluation form will receive a certificate for 8-10 contact hours. Michigan State University College of Nursing is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Michigan Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

CE credit from the National Board for Certified Counselors is pending. Please call before May 5, 2011, if you want NBCC credits.



## MSU Counseling Center

with the  
MSU School of Social Work  
MSU College of Nursing  
presents the

### *MECCA Certificate in Multicultural Counseling Conference May 17-18, 2011*

#### Conference Location

The James B. Henry Center  
for Executive Development  
3535 Forest Road  
Lansing, MI 48910

#### Conference Accommodations

Candlewood Suites  
3545 Forest Road  
Lansing, MI 48910  
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The MSU Counseling Center is proud to present the *MECCA Certificate in Multicultural Counseling* through a conference format. The Conference's curriculum is rooted in MECCA's 40 years of multicultural clinical experience and training. The sessions will be facilitated by the **MECCA Training Team** through a combination of lecture, small group discussion and safe experiential exercises designed for adult learners.

The *MECCA Certificate in Multicultural Counseling* will be awarded to conference participants who complete the 10-hour curriculum on May 17-18, 2011. The *MECCA Certificate* is a professional diploma and does not carry any legal rights or privileges.

Participants can be licensed counselors, psychologists, social workers, nurses, career or academic advisors, and other human service professionals.

Participants will leave the Conference with the MECCA certificate and:

- An understanding of the challenges of delivering mental health services to a multicultural but racialized society.
- An action plan to develop their cultural competencies specific to their own service population.
- An individual action plan to be racially responsive within their own work context.
- Relationships and resources to continue their professional growth in multicultural and racial-ethnic knowledge and skills.

## Conference Agenda

### Tuesday, May 17th

- 8:00-8:30am Registration/ Continental Breakfast
- 8:30-10:15 I. Multicultural Learning: Universal, Cultural, and Individual
- 10:30-12:30 II. Cultural Competency: Language, Religion, Class, Gender, Sexual Orientation, and Disability
- 12:30-1:15 Buffet lunch
- 1:15-2:45 III. Mental Health in a Multicultural But Racialized Society
- 2:45-3:00 Break/refreshments available
- 3:00-5:00 IV. Racial Responsiveness: Asian Pacific Islander, Black, Hispanic, Native American, Mixed, and White

### Wednesday, May 18th

- 8:00-9:00am Continental Breakfast
- 9:00-10:15 V. Intersections of Culture and Race
- 10:15-10:30 Break/refreshments available
- 10:30-Noon Intersections: Case Studies and participant consultations
- Noon-1:00 **MECCA Certificate Luncheon**

### Note

Participants are encouraged to bring actual case studies that involve multicultural and racial issues for consultation.

## MECCA

The Multi-Ethnic Counseling Center Alliance (MECCA) was a pioneer in the multicultural mental health movement. MECCA was founded in 1969 to deliver career and personal counseling to the entire MSU student body: inclusive of students of color, international students, and other marginalized populations. In addition to outreach, MECCA developed training modules to equip psychologists, counselors, and social workers, to practice in a multicultural and racialized society. Today, every mental health profession requires that "cultural competency" be an integral part of the training, continuing education, and certification of their members.

### **MECCA Training Team**

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